

REMARKS

Claims 1-21 are pending in this application.

Claims 1 and 2 stand rejected under 35 USC 102(b) as being anticipated by Gunn (USPN 5,350,061).

Claims 3-21 stand objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims.

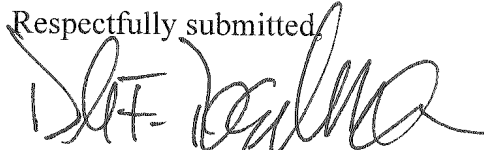
Claims 1 and 2 are canceled herein.

Claim 3 is amended herein to include the elements of claim 1 and original claim 3.

No new matter has been entered. Reexamination and reconsideration of the application, as amended, is respectfully requested.

Having dealt with all of the outstanding objections and/or rejections of the claims, Applicants submit that the application as amended is in condition for allowance, and an allowance at an early date is respectfully solicited. In the event there are any fee deficiencies or additional fees are payable, please charge them, or credit an overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 502262.

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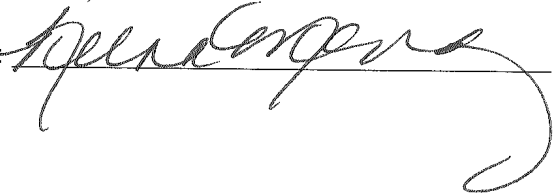
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